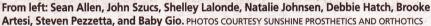
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Brooke Artesi.

Apple Chase benefits medical foundation

Team Sunshine, representing Sunshine Prosthetics and Orthotics in Wayne, ran in the 21st Annual Apple Chase 5k/12k in Pequannock on Oct. 15, emphasizing their belief in the importance of being active and facing challenges.

The team leader, Brooke Artesi, owner of Sunshine P&O, has been an amputee since the age of 15 when she lost her right leg in a train accident. She's an avid hiker and outdoor sports enthusiast and enjoys encouraging others to follow an active lifestyle.

"I love the challenge and the exhilaration at the finish, and I also love seeing people who never thought they could do it find that they are stronger than they thought. That's most exciting to me," says Artesi.

This year the Apple/ Chase 5k/12k raised money for the Chilton Medical Center Foundation, a not-for-profit dedicated to enhancing the quality of health care available to those they serve - funding clinical services, state-of-the-art technology, facility construction and modernization's (cancer center, mother baby center, total joint center, emergency department), com-

munity outreach initiatives and other vital programs.

Sunshine Prosthetics and Orthotics is located at 1700 Route 23 North, Suite 180, in Wayne, where they provide a full range of services for amputees and other physically challenged adults and children. For more information, call 973-696-8100 or visit www.SunshinePandO.com.

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